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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

**CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA, WESTERN DIVISION**

PAR STERILE PRODUCTS, LLC,

Plaintiff,

v.

HOSPIRA, INC., INTERNATIONAL  
MEDICATION SYSTEMS, LTD., and  
AMERICAN REGENT, INC.,

Defendants.

Case No. 2:13-cv-07460-DDP (Ex)

~~PROPOSED~~ STIPULATED  
PROTECTIVE ORDER

Magistrate Judge Charles F. Eick

1 Plaintiff Par Sterile Products, and Defendants Hospira, Inc., International  
2 Medication Systems, Ltd., and American Regent, Inc. ("the Parties") request the  
3 Court to approve and enter this Stipulated Protective Order and respectfully show as  
4 follows:

5 The Parties anticipate the production of certain information, documents, and  
6 things of the Parties subject to discovery or disclosure in this action that may be  
7 claimed to be or deemed to contain sensitive, confidential, trade secret and/or  
8 proprietary information, or for which the producing party has a reasonable  
9 expectation of privacy; and

10 In order to limit disclosure and prevent the misuse of confidential and  
11 proprietary information for purposes other than the prosecution or defense of this  
12 action, the Parties, by their attorneys, hereby agree and stipulate to the following  
13 terms of a protective order governing the handling, disclosure and retention of  
14 Confidential, Highly Confidential, and Highly Confidential-FDA Submission  
15 information exchanged between the Parties regarding this action.

16 IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED by and between the Parties hereto, through  
17 their respective counsel, subject to approval of this Court, that a Stipulated  
18 Protective Order as set forth hereinafter be entered.

19 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT the following procedures shall be  
20 employed and the following restrictions shall govern these proceedings:

21 1. This Stipulated Protective Order applies to all information, documents  
22 and things subject to discovery in this action produced by a Party (defined as any  
23 party to this Action, including its officers, directors, employees, consultants,  
24 retained experts, and counsel (and their respective support staffs)) or a non-party, in  
25 response to or in connection with any discovery conducted by another Party,  
26 including without limitation, deposition testimony (whether based upon oral  
27 examination or written questions), documents used as exhibits in depositions,  
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1 answers to interrogatories, responses to requests for admission, documents and  
2 things produced, including documents and things produced to a Party by another  
3 Party or non-party, whether in the form of originals or copies, as well as any and all  
4 copies, abstracts digests, notes, summaries and excerpts thereof (collectively, the  
5 "Discovery Materials," or "Material(s)").

6 2. In connection with discovery proceedings in the Action, any Party and  
7 non-party to these proceedings shall have the right to designate ("Designating  
8 Party") any information, document, or thing, or portion of any document or thing as  
9 "Confidential", "Highly Confidential – Attorneys' Eyes Only," or "Highly  
10 Confidential – FDA Submission" under the terms of this Stipulated Protective  
11 Order. A Designating Party need not be the producing or disclosing party of the  
12 Protected Material.

13 a. **CONFIDENTIAL:** The designation of information as  
14 Confidential shall be limited to information which the disclosing  
15 Party or non-party believes in good faith to constitute, contain,  
16 reveal, or reflect non-public sensitive information, including, by  
17 way of example and not of limitation, trade secrets, business  
18 plans or marketing plans, business strategies, pricing policies or  
19 plans, financial records, and confidential research, development,  
20 commercial, or personnel information relating to its business, or  
21 which was disclosed to it in confidence by another person, the  
22 disclosure of which to general public could adversely prejudice  
23 the Designating Party or its business, or information in which the  
24 Designating Party otherwise believes in good faith to be entitled  
25 to protection under Rule 26(c)(1)(G) of the Federal Rules of  
26 Civil Procedure. Any summary, compilation or copy of any  
27 Confidential Material shall also constitute Confidential Material.  
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1 Any Party to these proceedings, or any third-party covered by  
2 this Order, who produces or discloses any Confidential Material,  
3 including, without limitation, any information, document, thing,  
4 interrogatory answer, admission, pleading, or testimony, shall  
5 mark the same with the legend "CONFIDENTIAL" at the time  
6 of its production, if practicable, or shall otherwise designate it as  
7 "Confidential" in accordance with the terms of this order  
8 (hereinafter "Confidential").

9 b. **HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL –ATTORNEYS’ EYES ONLY:**

10 The designation of "Highly Confidential –Attorneys’ Eyes Only"  
11 (herein "Highly Confidential") may be used by a Designating  
12 Party for any subset of "CONFIDENTIAL" information, the  
13 disclosure of which is likely to provide a significant competitive  
14 or economic advantage to a competitor, including by way of  
15 example and not of limitation, information relating to sensitive  
16 technical, medical, and competitive information, financial  
17 information and forecasts, products in development, and plans,  
18 strategies, and programs, including documents or things that  
19 relate to the following: (a) research and development, (b) future  
20 or pipeline products, (c) products that are not embodiments of  
21 this suit, (d) customer, vendor, supplier, and sales representatives  
22 names and identifying information, (e) test protocols, (f)  
23 individual unit pricing, (g) inventory, (h) marketing strategies  
24 and forecasts, (i) current and/or future competitive analyses, or  
25 (j) information the designating Party or non-party reasonably  
26 believes constitutes sensitive information, the disclosure of  
27 which is likely to result in unfair competitive, financial or  
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1 commercial advantage to the Receiving Party (i.e., party that  
2 receives Discovery Material). Any summary, compilation or  
3 copy of any Highly Confidential Material shall also constitute  
4 Highly Confidential Material. Any Party to the proceedings or  
5 any third Party who is covered by this Order, who produces or  
6 discloses any Highly Confidential material, including, without  
7 limitation, any information, document, thing, interrogatory  
8 answer, admission, pleading, or testimony, shall mark the same  
9 with the legend "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL –ATTORNEYS'  
10 EYES ONLY" at the time of its production, if practicable, or  
11 shall otherwise designate it as "Highly Confidential – Attorneys'  
12 Eyes Only" in a transmittal message, in a file name or in file  
13 metadata (hereinafter "Highly Confidential"). If such "Highly  
14 Confidential – Attorneys' Eyes Only" material is also  
15 specifically and directly related to a parties' FDA submission in  
16 connection with its epinephrine injection product(s), then such  
17 material shall be designated instead as "Highly Confidential-  
18 FDA Submission".

19 3. The protections conferred by this Order cover not only "Confidential,"  
20 "Highly Confidential –Attorneys' Eyes Only," or "Highly Confidential-FDA  
21 Submission" material, but also any information copied or extracted therefrom, as  
22 well as all copies, excerpts, summaries, or compilations thereof, plus testimony,  
23 conversations, or presentations by Parties or Counsel to or in court or in other  
24 settings that might reveal "Confidential," "Highly Confidential –Attorneys' Eyes  
25 Only," or "Highly Confidential-FDA Submission" material.

26 4. Each Designating Party must take care to limit any such designation to  
27 specific material that qualifies under appropriate standards. A Designating Party  
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1 must take care to designate for protection only those portions of material that qualify  
2 — so that other portions for which protection is not warranted are not unjustifiably  
3 swept within the ambit of this Order.

4 5. If it comes to a Party's or non-party's attention that Discovery Material  
5 that it designated for protection does not qualify for protection at all, or does not  
6 qualify for the level of protection initially asserted, that Party or non-party must  
7 promptly correct its designation and notify all Receiving Parties of the correction.

8 6. All Confidential, Highly Confidential, and Highly Confidential-FDA  
9 Submission material shall be used by the receiving Party solely for purposes of the  
10 negotiation, litigation, prosecution, defense, or settlement of these proceedings, shall  
11 not be used by the receiving Party for any business, commercial, competitive,  
12 personal, or other purpose, and shall not be disclosed by the receiving Party to  
13 anyone other than persons identified in Paragraphs 7 and 8 unless and until the  
14 restrictions herein are removed either by written agreement of counsel for the parties  
15 or by Order of the Court.

16 a. It is, however, understood that counsel for a Party may give  
17 advice and opinions to his or her client solely relating to these  
18 proceedings based on his or her evaluation of Confidential,  
19 Highly Confidential, or Highly Confidential-FDA Submission  
20 material, provided that such advice and opinions shall not reveal  
21 the content of the Confidential, Highly Confidential, or Highly  
22 Confidential-FDA Submission material to anyone other than  
23 persons identified in Paragraphs 7 and 8 except by prior written  
24 agreement of counsel for the parties or by Order of the Court.

25 b. For the duration of this litigation (including any appeals) and for  
26 one year after its termination, any in-house lawyer who receives  
27 "Highly Confidential-FDA Submission" material in this case  
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1 may not thereafter engage in the preparation or submission of  
2 any United States Food and Drug Administration correspondence  
3 (including, but not limited to, citizen petitions) or any similar  
4 correspondence in any foreign country regarding approval for (i)  
5 products containing epinephrine, (ii) formulations containing  
6 epinephrine, (iii) processes for making epinephrine formulations  
7 or products containing epinephrine, or (iv) methods of treatment  
8 involving epinephrine.

9 7. Material designated "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL – ATTORNEYS'  
10 EYES ONLY" or "HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL-FDA SUBMISSION" may not be  
11 given, shown, made available, disclosed, or communicated to anyone except the  
12 following:

- 13 a. The Court and Court personnel, including special masters,  
14 referees and mediators;
- 15 b. Outside Counsel of record in these proceedings and their law  
16 firm's active members, associate attorneys, and contract or  
17 temporary attorneys retained by such law firms to work on these  
18 proceedings ("Counsel"), the contract or temporary attorneys of  
19 whom will sign a non-disclosure agreement in the form attached  
20 hereto as Exhibit A;
- 21 c. Outside experts or consultants retained by Counsel for purposes  
22 of these proceedings, provided they have signed a non-disclosure  
23 agreement in the form attached hereto as Exhibit A;
- 24 d. Secretarial, paralegal, clerical, duplicating and data processing  
25 personnel of the foregoing;
- 26 e. For each Party, no more than two (2) in-house attorneys who  
27 have signed a non-disclosure agreement, in the form attached  
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1 hereto as Exhibit A. No fewer than five (5) business days prior  
2 to the disclosure of Highly Confidential information to any such  
3 in-house attorney, he or she shall be identified in writing to all  
4 other Parties and non-parties that have designated any  
5 information as Highly Confidential;

6 f. Any deponent during a deposition, or in preparation for a  
7 deposition, where the deponent is the original source of the  
8 information, is specifically identified as an author, addressee, or  
9 recipient of the Highly Confidential material in question, or  
10 otherwise has knowledge of the information;

11 g. Vendors retained by or for the parties to assist in preparing for  
12 pretrial discovery, (including employees of any firm retained to  
13 reproduce the discovery material for use in accordance with this  
14 Stipulated Protective Order) litigation, trial and/or hearings  
15 including, but not limited to, court reporters, videographers,  
16 litigation support personnel, jury consultants, individuals  
17 preparing demonstrative and audiovisual aids for use in the  
18 courtroom or in depositions or mock jury sessions, provided  
19 they, as well as their staff, stenographic, and clerical employees  
20 whose duties and responsibilities require access to such  
21 materials, have signed a non-disclosure agreement, in the form  
22 attached hereto as Exhibit A.

23 h. Any other person or entity upon order of the Court or upon  
24 stipulation of the producing Party or non-party.

25 i. Proof of each written agreement provided for under paragraph 7  
26 shall be preserved by each of the Parties while the action is  
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1 pending and turned over to the other Parties if the Court so  
2 orders.

3 8. Material designated "CONFIDENTIAL" may not be given, shown,  
4 made available, disclosed, or communicated to anyone except the following:

- 5 a. Those individuals described in Paragraph 7;  
6 b. The Parties, their principals, officers and directors; employees of  
7 the Party who have been designated by a Party as directly  
8 involved in the prosecution or defense of the action by the Party  
9 and that Party has previously identified those employees, in  
10 writing, to the producing party;  
11 c. Actual deposition or trial witnesses (including use in connection  
12 with the preparation of said witnesses).  
13 d. Any insurer which may be used to satisfy part or all of any  
14 judgment in this action.  
15 e. Proof of each written agreement provided for under paragraph 8  
16 shall be preserved by each of the Parties while the action is  
17 pending and turned over to the other Parties if the Court so  
18 orders.

19 9. Confidential, Highly Confidential, or Highly Confidential-FDA  
20 Submission material shall be used only by individuals permitted to access such  
21 material under paragraphs 7 and 8. Confidential, Highly Confidential, or Highly  
22 Confidential-FDA Submission material, copies thereof, and the information  
23 contained therein, shall not be disclosed in any manner to any other individual, until  
24 and unless (a) counsel of the Party asserting confidentiality expressly waives the  
25 claim of confidentiality in writing, or (b) the Court orders such a disclosure.

26 10. A Party may designate information in deposition testimony as  
27 Confidential, Highly Confidential, or Highly Confidential-FDA Submission by  
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1 stating on the record at the deposition that the information is Confidential, Highly  
2 Confidential, or Highly Confidential-FDA Submission or by advising the opposing  
3 Party and the stenographer and videographer (if any) in writing, within thirty (30)  
4 days after receipt of the deposition transcript, that the information is Confidential,  
5 Highly Confidential, or Highly Confidential-FDA Submission. Whether or not  
6 designation is made at the time of a deposition, all depositions shall be treated as  
7 Highly Confidential from the taking of the deposition until thirty (30) days after  
8 receipt of the transcript. At any deposition, to the extent Highly Confidential or  
9 Highly Confidential-FDA Submission documents are used or Highly Confidential or  
10 Highly Confidential-FDA Submission information is discussed, at the request of  
11 either Party, the room will be closed to anyone other than the individuals described  
12 in Paragraph 7, unless otherwise agreed upon by the Parties on a deposition-by-  
13 deposition basis.

14 11. If counsel for a Party receiving documents or information designated as  
15 Confidential, Highly Confidential, or Highly Confidential-FDA Submission  
16 hereunder objects to such designation of any or all of such items, the following  
17 procedure shall apply:

- 18 a. Unless a prompt challenge to a Designating Party's  
19 confidentiality designation is necessary to avoid foreseeable  
20 substantial unfairness, foreseeable avoidable burdens, or a later-  
21 occurring foreseeable significant disruption or delay of the  
22 litigation, an objecting party does not waive its right to challenge  
23 a confidentiality designation by electing not to mount a challenge  
24 promptly after the original designation is disclosed.
- 25 b. Counsel for the objecting Party shall serve on the Designating  
26 Party or third Party a written objection to such designation,  
27 which shall describe with particularity the documents or  
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1 information in question and shall state the grounds for objection.  
2 The Parties shall then confer in good faith in an attempt to  
3 resolve the dispute.

4 c. Following such consultation, if a dispute as to a designation of a  
5 document or item of information cannot be resolved by  
6 agreement, the objecting party may file a notice requesting an  
7 order requiring redesignation of the information in dispute. If  
8 the Designating Party persists in its designations, the Designating  
9 Party may file a motion within 10 days after the notice is filed,  
10 providing a declaration that confidentiality designations are  
11 valid. Such a motion may not assert a basis for a confidentiality  
12 designation on any ground that was not substantively discussed  
13 in the meet and confer process. The motion must specifically  
14 identify the designated material for which the Designating Party  
15 wishes to maintain the confidentiality designations and set forth  
16 the basis for each designation. The Designating Party will have  
17 the burden of persuasion in any challenge. If such a motion is  
18 filed, until the court rules on the motion, all parties must  
19 continue to treat the material in question with the level of  
20 protection for which it was designated.

21 12. All requests to seal documents filed with the Court shall comply with  
22 the Local Rules of the United States District Court for the Central District of  
23 California. If the filing Party is not the designating Party and is unaware of the  
24 specific basis for the designating Party having designated the subject material as  
25 Confidential, Highly Confidential, or Highly Confidential-FDA Submission, then  
26 the filing Party nonetheless is obligated to make a reasonable effort when filing the  
27 subject material to seal such material. In the event the filing Party takes exception  
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1 to any designation of the subject material by the Designating Party, then the filing  
2 Party shall seek relief from such designation pursuant to the procedures set forth in  
3 this Order.

4 13. If a Designating Party determines that Discovery Material was not  
5 correctly designated at the time of production, it must promptly notify all Receiving  
6 Parties of the correct designation. If Discovery Materials are redesignated with a  
7 higher level of confidentiality than when they were originally produced, all  
8 Receiving Parties who received a copy of the material before the correction must  
9 affix appropriate legends to their copies to indicate the corrected designations and  
10 take reasonable steps to retrieve all copies of the newly designated material from  
11 persons who were previously given access to the material but who are no longer  
12 permitted to have such access.

13 14. To the extent consistent with applicable law, the inadvertent or  
14 unintentional disclosure of Confidential, Highly Confidential, or Highly  
15 Confidential-FDA Submission material that should have been designated as such,  
16 regardless of whether the information, document, or thing was so designated at the  
17 time of disclosure, shall not be deemed a waiver in whole or in part of a Party's  
18 claim of confidentiality, either as to the specific information, document or thing  
19 disclosed or as to any other material or information concerning the same or related  
20 subject matter. Such inadvertent or unintentional disclosure may be rectified by  
21 notifying in writing counsel for all Parties to whom the material was disclosed that  
22 the material should have been designated Confidential, Highly Confidential, or  
23 Highly Confidential-FDA Submission within a reasonable time after disclosures.  
24 Such notice shall constitute a designation of the information, document or thing as  
25 Confidential, Highly Confidential, or Highly Confidential-FDA Submission under  
26 this Stipulated Protective Order.

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1           15. The inadvertent failure by a Party to designate specific documents or  
2 materials as containing Confidential, Highly Confidential, or Highly Confidential-  
3 FDA Submission information or incorrectly labeling such documents shall not be  
4 deemed a waiver in whole or in part of a claim of confidentiality as to such  
5 documents or materials. Upon notice to each Party of such failure to designate, each  
6 Party shall cooperate to restore the confidentiality of the inadvertently disclosed  
7 information.

8           16. Whether inadvertent or otherwise, furnishing of documents (including  
9 physical objects) to a receiving party; using documents in depositions, pleadings or  
10 any written discovery; or disclosing documents to the Court shall not constitute a  
11 waiver of the attorney-client privilege, work product immunity or other immunity  
12 from discovery, with respect to any document or physical object so furnished,  
13 provided that the producing Party shall notify the receiving Party within a  
14 reasonable amount of time of discovery in writing and request such documents or  
15 material be returned or destroyed.

16           a. Such notification by the producing Party must disclose the basis  
17 for the assertion of privilege, and shall constitute reasonable  
18 precautions to prevent disclosure and reasonably prompt  
19 measures to rectify the production within the meaning of Fed. R.  
20 Evid. 502(b)(3).

21           b. Upon receiving adequate written notice from the producing Party  
22 of production of privileged material or attorney work product, all  
23 such information, including electronic and paper copies thereof  
24 and any documents referencing such information including  
25 analyses, memoranda, or notes, shall be destroyed and not used  
26 by the receiving Party. The receiving Party shall confirm  
27 destruction of all such information in writing within ten (10)  
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1 business days of receiving notification by the producing Party.  
2 In addition to disclosing the basis for her, his or its assertion of  
3 privilege in the notification, the producing Party must list any  
4 such document on a privilege log within ten (10) business days  
5 following receipt of the receiving Party's confirmation that the  
6 document has been destroyed.

7 c. If the Parties disagree about the disposition of such material after  
8 conferring in good faith, then either side may move the Court for  
9 a resolution of the claim of privilege or work product protection.  
10 While any such dispute is ongoing, the receiving Party may  
11 retain the documents or information. Under no circumstances  
12 may the receiving Party use the document or its contents in  
13 challenging an assertion of privilege or work product protection.

14 d. While the receiving Party may thereafter move to compel  
15 production of the previously produced material, said Party may  
16 not assert as a ground for compelling production the fact or  
17 circumstance that the material has already been produced or  
18 disclosed, whether inadvertent or not.

19 e. Paragraph 16 and its subparagraphs shall be construed to provide  
20 the maximum protection allowed by Federal Rule of Evidence  
21 502(d).

22 17. No information that is in the public domain or which is already known  
23 by the receiving Party through proper means or which is or becomes available to a  
24 Party from a source other than the Party asserting confidentiality, rightfully in  
25 possession of such information on a non-confidential basis, shall be deemed or  
26 considered to be Confidential, Highly Confidential, or Highly Confidential-FDA  
27 Submission material under this Stipulated Protective Order.  
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1           18. Nothing contained herein shall prevent any Party from disclosing its  
2 own Confidential, Highly Confidential, or Highly Confidential-FDA Submission  
3 Material or information contained therein as it deems appropriate.

4           19. Confidential, Highly Confidential, or Highly Confidential-FDA  
5 Submission material may become known and generally available to the public  
6 through means other than acts or omissions by a Receiving Party. If that occurs,  
7 such material will lose its protected status at the time it becomes known and  
8 generally available to the public, and a Receiving Party may challenge the  
9 designation.

10          20. Information contained in Protected Material may be available to a  
11 Receiving Party through means other than discovery governed by this Order, even if  
12 it is not known and generally available to the public. If a Receiving Party acquires  
13 such information through legal means, this Order will not prohibit the Receiving  
14 Party from disclosing the information acquired through such other means. This  
15 Order does not alter any obligations or conditions imposed on the Receiving Party  
16 by the circumstances under which it acquired such information, such as acquisition  
17 under a nondisclosure agreement.

18          21. If a Receiving Party learns that Confidential, Highly Confidential, or  
19 Highly Confidential-FDA Submission material has been accessed or used by a  
20 person or in a manner not authorized by this Order and is certain that such access  
21 was not attributable to any act or omission by it, the Receiving Party must promptly  
22 notify the Designating Party of the unauthorized access or use. If a Receiving Party  
23 learns that such protected material has been accessed or used by a person or in a  
24 manner not authorized by this Order and such access or use may be due to an act or  
25 omission by the Receiving Party, the Receiving Party must promptly do the  
26 following: (a) notify the Designating Party of the unauthorized access or use, (b) use  
27 its best efforts to retrieve all copies of the protected material that were  
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1 inappropriately accessed or used, (c) provide a copy of this Order to each person to  
2 whom unauthorized access or use was available, and (d) request that each such  
3 person execute a copy of the Consent To Be Bound By Stipulated Protective Order  
4 that is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

5 22. Upon receipt of any request or subpoena for Confidential, Highly  
6 Confidential, or Highly Confidential-FDA Submission material, the Party receiving  
7 the request or subpoena shall, within fifteen (15) days of receipt, notify counsel of  
8 record for the producing Party of the request or subpoena, so that the latter may  
9 protect its interests.

10 23. This Stipulated Protective Order shall not deprive any Party of its right  
11 to object to discovery by any other Party or on any otherwise permitted ground.  
12 This Protective Order is being entered without prejudice to the right of any Party or  
13 affected non-party to move the Court for modification or for relief from any of its  
14 terms.

15 24. Within sixty (60) calendar days of the final termination of these  
16 proceedings, including all appeals, each Party or other individual subject to the  
17 terms hereof must either return to the producing Party or destroy all documents and  
18 copies of documents containing the producing Party's Confidential, Highly  
19 Confidential, or Highly Confidential-FDA Submission information. The Party  
20 returning and/or destroying the producing Party's Confidential, Highly Confidential,  
21 and Highly Confidential-FDA Submission information must promptly certify in  
22 writing her, his or its compliance with the requirements of this paragraph.

23 Notwithstanding the requirements of this paragraph, outside counsel of record and  
24 each Party may retain one archival copy of all pleadings, motion papers, transcripts,  
25 legal memoranda, correspondence, and all documents filed with the Court as well as  
26 any attorney work product generated in connection with the litigation of this case,

1 which shall continue to be subject to all requirements of this Stipulated Protective  
2 Order.

3 25. The United States District Court for the Central District of California is  
4 responsible for the interpretation and enforcement of this Stipulated Protective  
5 Order. All disputes concerning Confidential, Highly Confidential, or Highly  
6 Confidential-FDA Submission material produced under the protection of this Order  
7 shall be resolved by this Court. Every individual who receives any Confidential,  
8 Highly Confidential, or Highly Confidential-FDA Submission material agrees to  
9 subject herself, himself or itself to the jurisdiction of this Court for the purpose of  
10 any proceedings related to performance under, compliance with, or violation of this  
11 Order.

12 26. This Stipulated Protective Order has been agreed to by the Parties to  
13 facilitate discovery and the production of relevant evidence in these proceedings.  
14 Neither the agreement of the Parties, nor the designation of any information,  
15 document, or the like as Confidential, Highly Confidential, or Highly Confidential-  
16 FDA Submission information, nor the failure to make such designation, shall  
17 constitute evidence with respect to any issue in these proceedings.

18 27. This Stipulated Protective Order shall survive the termination of these  
19 proceedings and shall remain in full force and effect unless modified by an Order of  
20 the Court. Even after the termination of this litigation, the confidentiality  
21 obligations imposed by this Order shall remain in effect until a Designating Party  
22 agrees otherwise in writing or a court order otherwise directs.

23 28. Any person or entity who is not a Party to this Action may invoke this  
24 Order by written notice to all Parties and may designate Discovery Material as  
25 Protected Material in accordance with the terms of this Order.

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1 **IT IS SO STIPULATED, THROUGH COUNSEL OF RECORD.**

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3 Dated: February 23, 2015

AXINN, VELTROP & HARKRIDER, LLP

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5 By: /s/ John M. Tanski (per authorization)

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John M. Tanski (*pro hac vice*)

6 Attorneys for Plaintiff

7 PAR STERILE PRODUCTS, LLC

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9 Dated: February 23, 2015

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11 By: /s/ Amy E. Pomerantz

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12 Attorneys for Plaintiff

13 PAR STERILE PRODUCTS, LLC

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15 Dated: February 23, 2015

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17 By: /s/ Jeffrey A. Le Vee (per authorization)

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18 Attorneys for Defendant

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21 Dated: February 23, 2015

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26 SYSTEMS, LTD.

1 Dated: February 23, 2015

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AMERICAN REGENT, INC.

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10 **PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, IT IS SO ORDERED.**

11 Dated: 2/24/15

  
The Honorable Charles F. Eick  
United States Magistrate Judge

**EXHIBIT A**

**CONSENT TO BE BOUND BY STIPULATED PROTECTIVE ORDER**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ [print or type full name], of  
\_\_\_\_\_ [print or type full address], am currently  
employed by \_\_\_\_\_ [print or type full name of employer] as a/an  
\_\_\_\_\_ [print or type present occupation], and I certify that I have  
read the agreed Stipulated Protective Order in the case styled *Par Sterile Products*  
*LLC v. Hospira et al.*, United States District Court for the Central District of  
California Western Division, No. 2:13-cv-07460. I fully understand the terms of the  
Order. I acknowledge that I am bound by the terms of the Order, and I will comply  
with those terms. I understand that failure to comply could expose me to sanctions  
and punishment in the nature of contempt. I agree that I will not use or disclose  
matter that is protected under that Order, except in strict compliance with that Order.  
I further agree that I submit to the jurisdiction and venue of the above-referenced  
court for proceedings relating to that Order, including enforcement or contempt  
proceedings, even if such proceedings occur after the termination of the case in  
which the Order was entered.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Printed Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_